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Made of assorted colors of Leather with Sterling Silver mountings. Something new and nobby. They were bought cheap and can be sold cheap.
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Our reputation reaches throughout the province, to the Sound cities, to Portland and San Francisco.
We carry a large reliable stock. We make the art of garment cutting a study. We aim to give every satisfaction to our customers, and we have the reputation of doing so. That's the secret of our success.
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Estimates for complete electrical installations, either light or power. House wiring plans and superintendence a specialty. All wiring under my superintendence guaranteed.

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And what they will wear at it is the all absorbing question with the ladies of Victoria at present.
As far as
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HEROES AT YALU RIVER.

Unarmed and Poorly Armed Japanese Vessels Engaged in the Battle.

Tacoma Arrives With Late Oriental News—Humiliation of Li Hung Chang.

The Northern Pacific liner Tacoma, Captain Perkes, arrived here at 10.30 o'clock this morning, sixteen days from Yokohama. She made Cape Beale at 10 o'clock last night, but it was too thick and foggy to come ahead at full speed, and she waited for daylight this morning. After leaving Japan she had heavy head winds and a rough sea. This lasted for a few days, and was succeeded by heavy westerly gales. The ship brought seven cabin passengers: Rev. J. K. Robson and Rev. B. W. Waters, who have been doing missionary work in North China, Rev. M. J. Walker, who has been a missionary in Manchuria, Mrs. B. W. Waters and two children and Mrs. Perkes. There were also 48 Chinese and seven Japanese in the steerage. The ship has all the freight aboard that could be stowed away, her total cargo amounting to 3300 tons. She is to-day discharging 250 tons for Victoria, and will proceed to the Sound late this afternoon.

Speaking about the Oriental war, Purser Donaldson said:

"About all the news I can give you is that Japan nearly went wild with enthusiasm over that naval victory at Yalu river. They were still celebrating it when we left. We also heard that the Chinese captain who proved such a coward at Yalu river had his head "snipped" off a few days afterwards. We were not interfered with in any way at any port we visited."

Yokohama advices to October 7 are as follows:

Since the sailing of the City of Pekin no additional intelligence concerning the sea fight near Taikosan harbor has been received. The government has received full reports from the commanders of ships, and waits for a complete record of the engagement before giving out further particulars. Japanese newspapers are flooded with lively descriptions of the event, but most of these are too highly fanciful to be accepted soberly, and the diagrams by which they are accompanied contradict one another at every point. The only fresh facts that can be trusted are supplied by private letters from officers of the fleet. They are not numerous, nor especially valuable. They indicate, however, that the battle was planned with care and deliberation, and that whatever imprudence may have been shown by individual commanders, Admiral Ito acted with calm judgment throughout. He warned viscount Kabayama, the chief of the staff, who joined the expedition as a spectator, and was not expected to participate to any extent in the proceedings, to keep his mail steamer, the Saikio, out of danger; and sent instructions to the Akagi that she should not expose herself to greatly superior force. But both these ships accepted heavy odds, and suffered accordingly. At one stage of the affair they contended against large ironclads within five hundred metres range, and were more frequently made targets for torpedos than any of their companions, except possibly the Hiyei. Regular men of war would probably justify themselves in sharing all the perils of the combat, however ill equipped; but the Saiko, with no armament but a small Armstrong and three rapid firing guns, and a merchant crew wholly unused to handling artillery, was in no condition to measure prowess with a pair of seven thousand ton battle ships. Such deeds, though brilliant and picturesque, belong rather to the category in which the Balaklava charge is included than to the methods of practical warfare.

None of the Chinese vessels appear to have distinguished themselves by displays of injudicious valor. Most of them, however, stood sturdily to their work until three in the afternoon, when all but the most powerful began to waver. A few were slow in coming into action, and in one instance sheer cowardice was displayed. The Tsi Yuen, a new fast cruiser of two thousand three hundred tons, left the Chinese fleet before the line was formed, and witnessed the fight from afar, without discharging a shot. This is the ship that suddenly disappeared before the Naniwa, in the bay of Asan, last July, captain and colors flying. She is not to be confounded with the vessel of nearly the same name which was sunk in Taikosan harbor. The commander of that craft lost only his ship, while he who withdrew from the combat, Fong by name, is reported to have lost his head.

It is now known that several Europeans in addition to von Hanneken served on board the Chinese ships in the battle. Two of them, both English, were killed: Purvis, an engineer of the Chih Yuen, and Nicholls, a musketry instructor on the Ting Yuen. McGiffin and Hekman, of the Chen Yuen, were wounded, and Albrecht and Hoffmann, being in the wary Tsi Yuen, were unharmed. A report from Hong Kong states that a number of foreigners in the customs administration have been summoned to take command of warships at the north. By way of contrast it is noteworthy that none but natives of Japan are permitted to serve in either the army or the navy of that empire.

At the beginnig of the war instructions were sent from the Japanese navy department that in time of battle competent officers should be detailed on all the ships to watch and record the effect of their projectiles upon the enemy's defences, and also the capacity of their own armor to resist shot and shell. It seems, however, by no means certain that any evidence as to what happens at a distance of a mile or two can be trusted, however faithful and scrupulous the witnesses may be. It is the conviction of all on board the Matsushima that a shell from that ship pierced the side of the Ting Yuen and set the interior on fire, while the Chinese emphatically declare that nothing of the sort happpened. A great deal of sifting of testimony will be necessary before the exact truth on this and other important points can be obtained. Facts come in very slowly. Only two days ago the news was received that the Kwang Ka, a new one thousand ton cruiser, ran ashore in trying to escape on the night of September 17th, and was afterwards destroyed by Japanese torpedoes. The information comes from Chefoo, and if it is confirmed the list of Chinese losses must be increased by five.

The Japanese government is not yet prepared with full reports of the Phyong-Yang campaign, and the only fresh intelligence from that quarter is provided by newspaper correspondents, who, while enlarging upon individual achievements, throw no light upon the still unsettled questions of the battle. Everything relating to the excellent strategic plan by which the Chinese were surrounded and simultaneously attacked on various sides is thoroughly confirmed, but the escape mains unexplained. Some writers from the field declare that the direct road to Wiju, on the frontier, was designedly left open, the commanding general having no desire to be burdened with a multitude of prisoners and knowing that to release them on parole would be a mere burlesque. This explanation is scarcely consistent with the extreme care shown in completing the circuit of Phyong-Yang before delivering the attack. If the object had been merely to dislodge the enemy, it could have been accomplished without the elaborate flanking movements. Moreover it is related that a large body of Chinese who surrendered unconditionally on the afternoon of September 17th, to General Tatsumi, forfeited their pledges by breaking away secretly at night, and were pursued northward with such vigor that many of them were slaughtered as they fled. It is difficult to understand why they were followed so relentlessly if the intention had been to allow the defeated army a free passage to the Yalu. Official records will in time supply the elucidation of this and other problems. Until they appear the public must be content with the knowledge that the Japanese won an un-

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—An office boy wanted. Apply at 102 Douglas street. oct23-tf

WANTED—A lad to act as messenger boy in an office. Must be able to write legibly. Small salary. To apply in own handwriting to drawer A, Times office. oct23-2t

FOR SALE VERY CHEAP—Ten tons of nuts and bolts of various lengths and sizes; also a few tons of round iron, all sizes. Apply to Wm. Powell, Ontario Wagon Shop. oct23-1t

LOST—On Broad street between Spencer's back entrance and the Driard, three parcels of print samples. Finder kindly return to Spencer's oct23-1t

LOST—A pearl, emerald and diamond brooch last evening between Pemberton Road and the drill hall. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to W. A. Ward, Temple Building, Fort St. (Colonist copy) oct23-3t

WANTED—Young girl to assist in light housework. Apply 147 Chatham street. oct23-2t

A YOUNG ENGLISH PERSON desires occupation [illegible] work; would travel as companion. Address Omega, postoffice, Victoria. o23-3t

Municipal Notice

To-morrow will be the last day but six for paying Taxes to entitle persons to rebate of one sixth.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

Tuesday, October 23, 1894.

Notice to Carpenters, Plasterers and Painters.

Separate tenders will be received up to noon on Wednesday, October 31st, for the completion of nine houses in Victoria West in accordance with specifications to be seen at the office of

DALBY & CLAXTON,
64 Yates street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. oct23-5t

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
Awarded Gold Medal Midwinter Fair, San Francisco.

CRISIS HAS BEEN REACHED

The Czar Yesterday Experiences Thirteen Hours of Terrible Suffering.

A Slight Improvement in His Condition, But Still Considered Grave.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 23.—A Livadia dispatch denies the report that the czarina is suffering from paralysis of the legs. Princess Alix arrived at Livadia yesterday evening.

Paris, Oct. 23.—Figaro's correspondent at Livadia says the czar recently experienced thirteen hours of terrible suffering. The crisis of the disease, the paper says, is now reached. His majesty's condition shows a slight improvement. Physicians, however, consider the condition grave.

Berlin, Oct. 23.—A St. Petersburg dispatch says immediately upon the arrival of the Princess Alix at Livadia the final ceremonies of her reception into the orthodox church will be celebrated.

Berlin, Oct. 23.—A Livadia dispatch says the czar has changed for the worse. His abdomen and legs are swollen. He moves but little, except with assistance.

Vienna, Oct. 23.—Private advices received in this city state that the czar's demise is looked for within three days.

NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

Conservatives of Ontario Meet to Elect a Leader.

Toronto, Oct. 23.—The World says it is informed on pretty good authority that petitions against the return of both Conservatives and Liberals of the Ontario legislature will be dropped. Negotiations for a compromise have been going on for some days and it is more than likely that neither the judges nor people of Canada will be worried with election trials or bye-elections.

Quebec, Oct. 23.—A block of 15 houses, the property of Dr. C. E. Elliot, was destoyed by fire at an early hour this morning at Little River, outside the city limits. The buildings were insured for $11,000, as follows: $4000 in the Royal, $3000 in the Queen's, $2000 in the Hartford and $2000 in the United Fire companies. The fire is reported to have started in an unoccupied house. The damage to the tenants' furniture is pretty well covered by insurance.

Montreal, Oct. 23.—A report spread all over town to-day that Mercier was dead. He is still living and conscious. He recovered consciousness about 9 o'clock after being comatose for 24 hours and sipped a little beef tea. He is very low.

Toronto, Oct. 23.—All the Conservative members of the provincial legislature have assembled in the city to-day to attend a caucus, which was opened in the Empire office this afternoon. The meeting was limited to members elect. Mr. Willoughby, the senior whip, presided. It has been decided that the leader will be chosen at once. It is certain, too, that he will be one of the present members of the house. The World's report that there would be a universal saw-off in the protests, is denied by all authorities as it is also reported that an executive committee will replace a leader.

DOMINION GOVERNMENT LOAN.

Tenders Invited for Two and a Quarter Million Pounds.

London, Oct. 23.—The Bank of Montreal, London, has issued a prospectus, inviting tenders up to the 29th inst., for two and a quarter million pounds sterling three per cent. inscribed stock of the Dominion of Canada, identical with that already listed. The minimum is 95 per cent., with interest in full from October 1st. Five per cent. is payable on application, and on allotment. Such sum is payable as will reduce the outstanding to 70 per cent. The balance is payable 20 per cent. November 26th and 50 per cent. December 31st. No interest is allowed for repayments.

HUDSON BAY RAILWAY.

A Report That a Government Guarantee Will Be Asked.

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—Hugh Sutherland arrived this morning and had a long interview with Daly. It is reported here that delegates who follow him will ask the government to guarantee the bonds of the Hudson Bay Company at 3 1-2 per cent. This done they think they might get the necessary capital.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

News of the World Received by Wire in Brief Paragraphs.

President Cleveland and family are returning to Washington.

J. D. Rich, postmaster and surveyor of the Liverpool postal district, James J. Cardin, receiver and accountant-general of the London post office, and Lewin Hill, assistant secretary of the London post office, yesterday inspected the working of the San Francisco post office.

It is stated that Cleveland will endorse Hill if certan conditions are made and a compromise on congressional nominations reached. It was said late to-day that the Grace and Tammany representatives had a [illegible] brought about.

Five persons were killed by the collapse of a frame building in Chicago to-day.

WILD RUMORS CIRCULATED.

Very Little Reliable News Regarding Czar to be Obtained at St. Petersburg.

Betrothal of Czarewitch and Princess Alix to Take Place To-Morrow.

London, Oct. 22.—The Daily News correspondent in Berlin says: "The czar walked half an hour in the park at Livadia yesterday. The doctors kept him out of bed as much as possible so as to maintain his nervous energy and counteract the weakness of the heart, which is increased by lying." The correspondent ridicules the rumors that the czar is dead and his death kept secret owing to the czarewitch's refusal to succeed. He admits that it is no secret that the czarewitch never was enthusiastic concerning the succession, mainly owing to the continual excitement and terror in his father's family. "The czarina is better," continues the correspondent, "although her condition is precarious and pitiable. Ambassador General von Werder will arrive in St. Petrsburg to-morrow and is expected to proceed to Livadia. It is understood that all the documents in the last three days have been signed by the czarewitch, whom his father admonished to accept Councilor Bunge's advice."

Professor Leyden has announced that he will resume his lectures in Berlin on the 29th. This is supposed to mean that he considers the czar's case hopeless.

The Lokal Anzeiger says that Arme Pariaghi, who has painted portarits of the emperor, Bismarck and Moltke, is on her way to Livadia, having been summoned to do a picture of the czar.

Berlin, Oct. 22.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Tageblatt finds that all the preparations in the Russian capital point to the succession of the czarewitch, Nicholas. He says the war office already holds in readiness the standards of Emperor Nicholas II. The czarewitch's marriage with the Princess Alix of Hesse will be hastened in view of the house law decared by Emperor Paul I., that no unmarried heir shall succeed to the throne. Should the czarewitch be childless upon ascending the throne the Grand Duke Michael, his younger brother, would be declared heir presumptive.

The Lokal Anzeiger says that Princess Alix will be baptized and received into the orthodox Russian church to-morrow and will be married to the czarewitch on Wednesday in the presence of the czar and the imperial family.

Paris, Oct. 22.—The French foreign office has been paralyzed by the reports from Livadia. Business has been at such a complete standstill that Lord Dufferin, the British ambassador, has been unable to finish the negotiations as to colonial questions. He will go to London on October 27th, or earlier, as there is nothing to be done here.

The Russian arch-priest in Paris thinks the czar's improvement is due to the intercession of Holy John of Cronstadt. Holy John is regarded throughout Russia as a miracle worker. It is said that he has hypnotic power, which is manifested whenever he lays his hands on a patient. His treatment consists of praying, the laying on of hands and rubbing with oil.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 22.—A bulletin issued at 8 o'clock this evening says: The emperor slept five hours intermittently last night, and arose at the usual time this morning. His appetite has decreased and his strength has not increased. It is rumored that an operation is to be performed.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 21.—The dearth of news from Livadia occasioned the wildest rumors to circulate yesterday, to the effect that the czar was actually dead, but that the fact was concealed because the czarewitch had renounced the succession to the throne and the Grand Duke George, the czar's second son, had died from lung trouble, from which he has been long a sufferer. These rumors were silenced by the issuing of a bulletin at night stating that the czar had been out of his bed during the day, but that the general condition was unchanged. To-day the rumors have been revived in an intensified form, the Sabbath leisure and the gathering of unusually large congregations, attracted by the special prayers for the czar, assisting in the growth of the rumors and speculation. It is everywhere recognized that the doctors in attendance on the czar can have no hope of his recovery, and that they are only devoting their efforts to prolonging his majesty's life until the arrival of the Princess Alix at Yalta, which may be celebrated before his death. It is asserted that the physicians have been compelled to turn their attention to the czarina, whose mind was said to be seriously affected by the nursing of her husband.

Last night the theatres were full as usual, and the restaurants were crowded. The city bears its usual aspect, and only eager and excited discussion in the public resorts indicates the impending evil. The special services in all the churches this morning were well attended. The reverence displayed and the sincerity of the prayers offered show how deeply the public mind is affected. In the theatres here and at Moscow during the last few days there have been numerous instances during the intervals between the acts of the audiences calling on the orchestras to play the national hymn, "God Protect the Czar," to which the people would listen standing.

London, Oct. 21.—A dispatch to the Times from St. Petersburg say according to the best information obtainable there will be a formal betrothal and exchange of rings between the czarewitch and Princess Alix at Lavadia on Wednesday, perhaps sooner, according to circumstances. This pre-supposes the performance of the ceremony of reconciliation to the orthodox church, which, in the usual course, must take place. The marriage of a foreign princess to a Russian heir apparent necessitates three distinct ceremonies, reconciliation to the orthodox church, betrothal and nuptials. The ceremonies formerly were always separate, but the betrothal and marriage have been performed together lately. An imperial proclamation is expected from Livadia on the subject.

Private news from Livadia is in no way reassuring. An official step has been taken in regard to the appearance of bulletins in the press, which is curious, to say the least. The Russian newspapers have been requested to print copies of their respective journals for subscribers in Livadia, omitting the bulletins altogether. This is now being done. The wildest rumors are circulating in St. Petersburg, and a special censor has been appointed to control all press telegrams concerning the condition of the czar and the doings generally of the imperial family. All dispatches have, therefore, to be passed on by the ordinary censor and to be inspected by the special censor, and they are mostly altered a great deal before they reach the telegraph offices.

Judging by the telegraphic inquiries received here from abroad, there must be far more visible spontaneous concern in the foreign capitals than is noticed on the surface at St. Petersburg, where the press is not allowed to utter a single word of sorrow at the sickness of their monarch. Even the ministers and high officials of the state, who themselves are astonished at the mysterious, tardy way in which the little official news is sent from the Crimea, had to telegraph all long and half through the night to the office of the Official Gazette begging information. In the remoter parts of the empire there are probably whole populations who have hardly yet heard that the czar is ill. As a Russian has expressed it, the Russian newspapers are waiting to know when the police will allow them to weep and to express their feelings frankly.

A dispatch to the Times from Berlin states that the imperial yacht Hohenzollern, now at Kiel, has been ordered to be in readiness to proceed to sea. It is presumed that Emperor William might go to Russia under certain circumstances, in which case Prince Henry of Prussia, the emperor's brother, on the ironclad Woertz, would escort the Hohenzollern.

A dispatch to the Times from Paris says that M. Fleming, a French artist, who has spent much time at Gatschina, painting the portraits of the czarina and Grand Duchess Xenia, and who has had many chances of seeing the Russian imperial family, says he never knew a man with such passion for work and such contempt for health as the czar. Though sometimes suffering to such an extent that his face became livid, he refused to permit any medical examination to be made. The czarewitch expressed to M. Fleming an intense longing to visit Paris, which appeared to be a sort of paradise to the whole imperial family. The Grand Duchess Xenia once jokingly remarked to M. Fleming: "Were I asked to be president of the republic at Paris, I should accept immediately."

A dispatch to the Post from Berlin says Emperor William and Prince Henry of Prussia left the banquet given in honor of the king of Servia on Friday to meet Princess Alix, who was en route to Livadia, at the Charlottenberg station. They accompanied her to the Silesian station, where a supper was served to the party in the waiting room. Both the emperor and Prince Henry remained in the railway station until 12.30 at night, when Princess Alix resumed her journey.

The dispatch says that the emperor daily receives telegrams from Livadia reporting the condition of the czar. It is quite in accordance with the course of the czar's malady, as stated in private telegrams, that he should be still able to rise and dress at the usual hour. Suddenly a spasm, accompanied by difficulty in breathing, attacks him, and the nervous crisis is attended by sharp muscular pains, which cause great agony. But there are days when the distressing symptoms are fairly absent and the imperial patient regains his normal condotion and even his normal spirits. The night time is the most dreaded, as sleep can only be obtained by ever increasing injections of morphine.

PLEA FOR FALLEN WOMEN.

Dr. Parkhurst Now Turning on Society for Their Sins.

New York, Oct. 22.—Dr. Charles A. Parkhurst yesterday preached a sermon which was a plea for fallen women. The doctor took for his text Matthew xxi, 31—"Verily, I say unto you that the publicans and harlots go into the kingdom of heaven before you." Dr. Parkhurst said: "There are sins for which no warrant can be found in Scripture. "There seems to be," said he, "one character of crime that if one sex practices it, it is all right, but if the other practices it ostracism invariably follows. Men can do as they choose on this score with women for whom they have no respect, but with a woman it is different." He continued: "Society says there are several unpardonable sins. They say it is a crime for a woman to transgress the seventh commandment, but it is not so for a man. One of the great troubles when a woman wishes to lead a different life is that she does not receive the help of her sisters. What hope is there, then, for a woman to try to do better? There are a great many magdalenes in New York. Probably thousands of them will go to heaven. They are children of God, just as good in His sight as you, and you should do all you can to help them. Some of you gather your skirts about you to escape from your fallen sisters, while they are just as precious to God as you are."

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If you are so unfortunate as to injure yourself in this way, we can suggest a remedy that will (we speak from experience) soon relieve you of all pain and quickly heal the wound; it costs but 25 cents for the New Big Bottle and is sold by all druggists—ask for PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.

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ART AND MORALS

Lively Issue as to Whether a Picture Shall be Hung in the White House.

New York, Oct. 22.—A special to the Recorder from Washington says: There is a lively issue of art and morals between the state department and the White House. In the last session an act was passed accepting on behalf of the nation one of the choicest paintings in the art exhibit at the World's fair. Visitors to the fair will remember that, hanging on the west wall of the British exhibit was a symbol picture by G. F. Watts, the English artist, whose genius has raised him very near the head of his profession. One of these ideal compositions was "Love and Life," the other "Love and Death." The first of these represents very nearly the highest of the achievements of its creator. It consists of two figures; Life, a youth, athletic and handsome, with wings; the other Love, a woman, a trifle lower down, leaning against Life beseechingly. The figures are nude. After the close of the fair Mr. Watts offered to present this picture to the United States government to serve as the nucleus of a national art gallery, and those with whom he spoke about it told him that his picture would be welcomed and that it would be a most fitting foundation for the national gallery he had in view. Accordingly the present was made and congress accepted the gift with expressions of gratitude. Secretly Gresham wrote to Mr. Watts conveying to him information of the action of congress. In this letter the secretary said while the national gallery was not a tangible probability yet, "Love and Life" would be hanging in the White House, there to remain until more suitable surroundings could be given it. In making this promise Mr. Gresham went too far. The picture is now in the White House, but whether it will ever hang there is a very grave question. It is boxed up in the cellar, and will stay boxed up until the president gets back to Washington and has had an opportunity to apply his artistic taste to the determination of a knotty problem. After the close of the fair, "Love and Life" was in bond in the Georgetown customs. Some days ago Assistant Secretary Rockhill, of the state department, took it out of the customs house and sent it to Washington, with the information that it had been accepted by an act of congress, and that in accordance with Secretary Gresham's letter to the donor it was to hang in the executive mansion. The man in charge of that sort of thing in the White House during the absence of the president is Colonel John M. Wilson, the superintendent of public buildings and grounds. Colonel Wilson does not pretend to know much about art, but his army training has given him a very keen sense of propriety, which sprang at once into prominence when Mr. Rockhill informed him of the new addition to the White House gallery and described the painting. He declared that he would be blessed if any such indecent thing should disgrace the walls confronting the eyes of young and innocent persons and clergymen on the occasion of every White House reception. Rockhill argued that there was nothing indecent either in the conception of the painting or its conception. The figures were nude, to be sure, but they lacked entirely the sensuous quality which might have made them objectionable; they were pervaded with poetry, not with passion, and much of the same sort, but he argued in vain. Wilson was obdurate. So long as he was in control he declared that the picture should remain boxed up in the cellar. If President Cleveland wanted to assume the responsibility of placing the objectionable thing on view, very well, but the president should not be permitted to do it without warning of the storm of criticism to which the hanging of the picture in the White House [illegible]

IGNORE SATOLLI.

Catholics of Patterson, N. J., Refute the Charges of the A. P. A.

Patterson, N. J., Oct. 21.—An insult offered Mgr. Satolli by some of the parishioners of St. Joseph's parish, in this city, came in for a good deal of discussion here to-day. This evening the St. Joseph parish association met and approved the conduct of the committee appointed to see Mgr. Satolli last night. The matter was freely discussed at the meeting, and Senator Hinchliffe, James Gibson, Edward F. Leonard, R. Salmon and Christopher Kelly were appointed a committee to lay the grievances of the committee before the metropolitan court of Archbishop Corrigan. Speeches were made by a number of those present condemning Mgr. Satolli's action and reviewing the efforts of the parish to have Dr. Smith removed, which efforts the speakers declared were in every way peaceful and honorable. At the meeting to-night very strong exceptions were taken to the treatment received by the committee which waited on the papal delegate to hear the grievances against Dr. Smith. The following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved, That we, the members of the St. Joseph's Parish Association, do hereby tender a vote of thanks to the committee of fifteen who yesterday waited upon Mgr. Satolli at the residence of Dr. Smith.

"Resolved, That we approve of every act taken and every word uttered by the committee, and that we admire their manly intrepidity, and we do this, not to compliment the committee on their acts as individuals, but to show the public that they are sustained.

"Resolved, That in deference to the feelings of outside conscientious Catholics who are interested in the matter, but who have no cognizance of the entire merits of our grievances and to refute the declaration of the A. P. A., that we have no redress, but must submit like cringing slaves, we appoint a committee to retain Rev. Dr. Burdsell to bring our case before the Metropolitan Court of Archbishop Corrigan, ignoring Mgr. Satolli and Bishop Wigger.

"Resolved, That, pending this, we use every honorable effort ourselves and ask our friends in the city of Paterson to bring pressure to bear on the few who will contribute to the support to Dr. Smith to desist from doing so, since it is evident that Dr. Smith and the people of St. Joseph's Parish can never harmonize, either one or the other has got to go to the wall."

Hood's Cured After Others Failed

Scrofula in the Neck—Bunches All Gone Now.

Sangerville, Maine.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:
"Gentlemen:—I feel that I cannot say enough in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla. For five years I have been troubled with scrofula in my neck and throat. Several kinds of medicines which I tried did not do me any good, and when I commenced to take Hood's Sarsaparilla there were large bunches on my neck so sore that I could

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not bear the slightest touch. When I had taken one bottle of this medicine, the soreness had gone, and before I had finished the second the bunches had entirely disappeared." BLANCHE ATWOOD, Sangerville, Maine.

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The fisheries will always be one of the chief sources of wealth to British Columbia, and at no very distant day promise to assume an importance at present undreamed of. Up to the present time operations have been strictly confined to the salmon industry, but there are many other varieties of fish in great abundance which only need placing upon the markets of the middle and Atlantic States to return large profits to the skipper. We have, besides salmon, halibut, smelt, cod, sturgeon, herring and sardines, all excellent food fish, and halibut and smelt are in great demand in the cities of the States and fetch capital prices. It is, therefore, the duty of all who are interested in the progress and prosperity of Victoria to examine this supremely important subject of developing the fisheries with a view of ultimately making Victoria the Gloucester of the Pacific.

It may, perhaps, be of interest to your readers to take each variety separately and describe, as near as I can, the methods employed in the east in catching and shipping the fish; and also afford what information I can regarding prices and profits.

SALMON.

I need not, of course, mention anything in connection with the salmon fishing excepting the fact that large No. 1 salmon, that is twenty-five pound fish, cleanly split, with the blood thoroughly pressed from the veins in the nape, and packed in tierces, command good prices in Mediterranean markets. All information regarding demand and price may be obtained from the British consuls at Zante, Naples, Palermo, Marseilles and other ports.

HALIBUT.

The continued scarcity of halibut on the Atlantic coast is forcing the eastern fish dealers to look towards the Pacific for supplies, and several enquiries have been made with the object of opening up business. Companies are forming in both Vancouver and Westminster, with a view of shipping halibut fresh on ice to the eastern markets. Victoria, alone, appears oblivious to the importance of the question. The fish are on the coast in vast quantities. There are a score of fishing smacks in the harbor. The United States will take all the halibut we can ship them, therefore capital and enterprise are all that are needed to commence operations. Gloucester, Massachusetts, is the great fishing port of the Atlantic and has a fleet of nearly seven hundred fishing schooners. About 120 of these are employed in the halibut fishing from the cape shore to the Banquero. The fish are, however, so scarce that for the past few seasons the number of schooners going to Greenland and Iceland after halibut have largely increased. These catches are fletched and salted for smoking purposes, therefore do not affect the fresh halibut market. The vessels employed in fresh halibut fishing meet with varying success, one of the greatest drawbacks being the difficulty of obtaining herring for bait; and sometimes for weeks at a time a dozen of those magnificent clipper schooners may be seen in the provincial harbors waiting for herring. The arrangements between owners and crews is always upon the "lay" system, the "quarter lay" being the most popular. The owners furnish the vessels and receive a quarter of the catch, while the crews furnish their own food and trawls, pay a portion of the ice and bait bill, and divide the remaining three-quarters catch among themselves. A trip usually occupies six to seven weeks, but most of the time is frequently wasted searching for bait, about twelve tons of ice and 15 to 20 barrels of herring being the complement of the bait and ice for the trip. Ice costs $2 per ton, bait (herring) $1 per hundred count. With any decent luck a vessel will take 50,000 pounds and should she catch a favorable market—say 8c. to 10c.—the crew may share $150 to $200 each for the trip. But during the short period that halibut are fairly plentiful—April, May, June and July—the price varies from 6c. to 8c., and frequently the catch of a schooner does not exceed 15,000 pounds. During the remaining eight months of the year the fish appear almost to leave the coast, and the price runs up to 17c., 15c., and 12c. for "chicken," "white" and "grey," respectively. These are the figures quoted from the wholesale commission men in Boston and New York at present. Now there is no reason why a company should not take hold of the thing here and commence shipping after completing arrangements east. The fish could be purchased here for 2c. per pound. Freight in carload lots from Victoria to Minneapolis and St. Paul can be secured at 1 1-4 cents per pound; Chicago, 1 1-2 cents; Boston, New York and Philadelphia, 2 cents. The fish must be well iced and shipped in boxes of five hundred pounds capacity. There is a clear 100 per cent. profit to be obtained, besides the benefits it would confer upon the city. The chief elements of success are complete and perfect arrangements east, so as to be independent of any such rings as the Atlantic Halibut Company and the Gloucester Fish Company. In fact at the outset it would be best to consign everything to Chicago, where cold storage can be had, and ship from there to adjacent cities, and later on forward to Boston and New York direct from Victoria. Agents of the company could be placed at different points so as to be free from all commission dealers. For any single individual to undertake the business would result in failure, because he would be at the complete mercy of the eastern consignee or commission agent. To make it a success a strong company with say a capital of $100,000, in shares of $5 each, —and with power to increase such capital—prudently managed by experienced business men would pay large dividends besides distributing money and employing labor. Halibut is not the only fish that it will pay to ship fresh.

SMELTS.

From the present time up to the 1st of March number one smelts will fetch from 10c. to 12 1-2c. per pound in Chicago and New York. Such smelts as I have seen exposed for sale in Victoria will fetch 15c. per pound. These fish, however, must be frozen hard and packed straight and clean in boxes of 50 pounds capacity. There are three qualities, xxx, xx and x; that is, eight inches and upwards are xxx, under eight inches xx, under six inches x. Before the smelt business could be carried on the fish would have to be frozen by artificial means, therefore, to be thoroughly independent and thoroughly equipped an ice-plant refrigerator and cold storage would have to be built. The smelt are caught in the east through the ice in bag nets as they flow up and down the rivers with the tide. From two to six tons are taken in one haul. It is an important industry in New Brunswick, and train loads are sent along to New York daily during the season. Seines are not permitted except in the Bay of Chaleur. The season for bag net fishing opens December 1 and closes February 15, but they may be hooked at any time. Fishermen cast sell the fish, on the ice, at 1 1-2c. to 2c. per pound to the shippers.

COD.

Beyond a local trade there does not appear to be much chance at present in profitably exporting cod fresh. It could, however, be salted and dried. It could, also, be shreded, cut and boxed and prepared in many ways and shipped inland. Hitherto the humidity of our climate has prevented the drying of fish in the open air, but the fish drying apparatus invented by Mr. Thomas Whitman in Nova Scotia has removed all obstacles to the drying of fish in any climate. Fish dried by this patent machinery has turned out better in Porto Rico, Cuba and Demerara than fish dried in the sun.

STURGEON.

Sometimes there would be a fair margin in shipping sturgeon east; but smoking it and shipping inland would be a safer plan.

SARDINES.

Put up in tins with mustard and tomatoes, and handled in a similar way to which they are handled in Eastport, Maine, there appears no reason why the market this side of Chicago could not be captured.

HERRING.

As a bait fish for the prosecution of the halibut fishery they are invaluable. There are many other ways in which they could be handled. Smoked round, kippered, spiced and salted there is no doubt a market could be found for them. Seines and traps could be employed in catching them.

It will therefore be seen that nearly every branch of the fishing industry could be developed by a joint stock company, and by placing the shares low enough to be within the reach of all, the capital would be rapidly subscribed. These few suggestions are thrown out with the hope of seeing some move made in Victoria.

CHABLIS-SHIRAZ.

FOUR CHILDREN BURNED.

Terrible Result of a Fire in a Clergyman's Residence.

Nyack, N. Y., Oct. 22.—The residence of Rev. Ross Taylor, Bishop of Africa, was burned shortly after four o'clock this morning. Mrs. Taylor awakened to find the lower portion of the house in flames. She aroused her husband, and they, with two of their children, succeeded in reaching the ground in safety. Four other children belonging to the couple were burned to death in their beds. Three men employed in the finishing house, which was a new one, and who slept on the third floor, had to jump for their lives. All were badly injured. The four children were Arthur, Harriet, Ada and Schultz, whose ages ranged from five to eleven years. Stewart, the eldest, and William, a younger brother, escaped. The cause of the fire is not known. The funeral of the four victims was held at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church this morning. The four bodies were placed in one casket. Rev. Ross Taylor, the bereaved father, was present, and made some touching remarks. He said the last act of the children before retiring was to pray. The interment took place at the Nyack rural cemetery.

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The Daily Times.

HUDSON BAY PROJECT.

It appears that Hugh Sutherland is at Ottawa endeavoring to secure further government aid for the Hudson Bay railway project. A big deputation of Conservative M. P.'s and others from Manitoba and the Northwest is following him, apparently with the same object in view. Our Ottawa correspondent mentions a rumor that the government will be asked to guarantee bonds of the road at the rate of 3 1-2 per cent., in order that the London capitalists may have confidence enough to advance the necessary funds. No doubt the London men would be satisfied with such a guarantee, regardless of the prospects of the road, for the bonds would be as good as Dominion 3 1-2 per cent. debentures, which are now quoted on the London exchange at over 107, while the three per cents have gone to par. The plethora of funds has led the London capitalists to be content with the modest 3 per cent. of interest, and the 3 1-2 per cent guarantee would suit them quite well. The people of Canada, however, must look at the matter from another point of view. They will have first to inquire whether the 3 1-2 per cent. will be recouped to them by the road, and if the answer is to be in the negative they must consider whether they will be compensated in some other way for the carrying of the burden. It would be a grand thing for the Northwest—and for British Columbia too—if a successful route were opened via Hudson Bay, but it is not yet established that such a route can be opened. The weight of evidence is unfortunately against it, and therefore the people of the east, whose interests are against the project, are in a position to bring hostile leverage to bear on the government successfully. The Manitoba press even is not a unit on the question, so the rest of the country is not likely to support the scheme enthusiastically. There is another point to be considered: If Hugh Sutherland and his backers now secure the guarantee they are after, what is more probable than the whole affair will fall into the hands of the C. P. R.? In that event the company would simply be putting another tax upon itself to bolster up the monopoly which now turns the Northwest people's minds to this fancied northern outlet.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Times is lectured in the familiar fishwife style by the government organ because it placed side by side Mr. Foster's London utterance and the report of his department on the quarter's trade operations and pointed to the contrast between them. As Mr. Foster is on this occasion his own critic it would be hard for any other than a jaundiced organist to find where the Times committed any fault. The trouble with the Colonist is that it knows its side is losing, hence its ill nature.

The Colonist asserts that the section of the land act quoted by the Slocan Times has no application to the purchase of New Denver lots. The [illegible] edge on such points is far from being equal to its assurance and impudence, but admitting that its reading of the law is correct the point remains that the lands department is threatening unusually sharp procedure with the recalcitrant purchasers. This means, of course, that the government is hard up and feels obliged to call in all possible funds. The empty treasury is making its emptiness felt with uncomfortable emphasis.

We read that "Major Perley, who was chief engineer of the department of public works at the time of the McGreevy-Langevin scandals, and who was dismissed, has again been employed by the government, and is engaged in compiling a report on all the harbors of the Dominion." The general verdict was that Mr. Perley when dismissed was made a scapegoat for the relief of the real sinners, and this is practically admitted to be correct by the government re-engaging him.

Towns Destroyed.

London, Oct. 23.—[illegible] that the town of Sakata was almost wholly destroyed by an earthquake last evening. Many were killed and a large number injured.

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Victoria Very Unfairly Dealt With by Referee of Saturday's Lacrosse Match.

All Rules and Precedents Ignored by Mr. Quigley—Other Sporting Events.

When a gentleman from Vancouve on Sunday night told a member of the Victoria lacrosse club that Referee Quigley would allow himself to be influenced by a certain class of Vancouverites, to give an unjust decision against Victoria in regard to the match played at Vancouver on Saturday, he was laughed at. Everybody thought that Mr. Quigley would not allow the prejudices of others to rule him, but he evidently has, for the decision he has given is unfair and unjust to Victoria. He declares the game a draw, but leaves it to the association to say whether the whole game shall be played over or whether the teams shall play 11 1-2 minutes, the time left when the game was stopped. Nothing could be more unfair than this. It was mutually agreed by both teams that the game should be started at 2 o'clock. Victoria was there on time, and Westminster did not arrive until nearly two hours later, simply to delay the game because Ryal, one of their players, had not been able to leave his place of business earlier. They could not say that there were no other players in Westminster, as there are any number of them. Then whose fault was it that darkness overtook them? Surely not Victoria's, who was on the field nearly two hours before the other team.

Mr. Quigley claims that he has not the power to give the match to Victoria or to decide whether it shall be played all over again or for only 11 1-2 minutes. A paragraph in section 4 of rule 6 knocks that claim to the winds. It says "all disputed points or matters of appeal that may arise during his (the referee's) continuance in office shall be left to his decision, which in all cases shall be final.

Without going further, however, section 15 of the rules of lacrosse, [illegible] gives the match to Victoria. It says: "On the day selected if one club only put in an appearance it shall be entitled to claim a victory by default. If its opponents refuse to fulfil their engagement, or do not appear on the ground at the specified time, the club complying with the terms agreed upon shall be declared the winner of the match.

If in the face of this the match is not given to Victoria, it will be evident that they cannot get fair play.

The Victoria club has formally claimed the match on the ground stated above, adding that it would be virtually imposing a fine on them for Westminster's inexcusable neglect in delaying the match, if they are forced to play it over again.

A protest has also been entered against Spain, who played with Westminster, it being alleged that he has forfeited his standing as an amateur.

Mr. Quigley's decision is as follows:

Vancouver, October 20, 1894.

Mr. R. L. Drury, Secretary Victoria Lacrosse Club, Victoria.

Dear Sir: In connection with the Victoria-New Westminster match played at Vancouver to-day, October 20th, 1894, I have no option but to confirm the decision given on the field, namely, declaring the game off, on account of darkness not admitting same to be completed.

Whether the game will be continued as it stood, viz., 2 to 3 in favor of Victoria with eleven and a half minutes to play, and the question of time, are matters beyond my jurisdiction, and must be referred to the association for decision.

Yours truly,
E. A. QUIGLEY, Referee.

THE TURF.

CRITERION STAKES.

London, Oct. 23.—The race for the Criterion stakes was won by Cayenne. The Owl and Spur Royal ran a dead heat for second place.

NEWS OF CALIFORNIA.

Louis Greenwald, of the "Emerald Bang," Gets Six Years

San Francisco, Oct. 23.—The Fearless leaves to-day for Astoria with the four-masted schooner Kentmore in tow. The Kentmore is going north in ballast to secure a cargo of wheat. When the Fearless returns she will tow the ship Primrose Hill to Astoria, also for wheat.

The lighthouse boat announces that the outside bar whistling buoy P. S. marked with the letter "P" in white, has gone adrift from its moorings off the entrance to Yaquina Bay, Oregon. It will be replaced as early as possible.

Louis Greenwald, the smuggler, who belonged to the "Emerald Gang," has been sentenced to six years in San Quinten prison by Judge Morrow.

Mrs. L. P. Wilson has been held to answer without bail for the murder of her husband. Wilson was found dead on September 26. His wife, with whom he had frequent quarrels, was arrested on suspicion of having shot him.

Freight Conductor George Elliott, going east on a train last night, was missed by his train crew when the train reached Port Costa about 2:30. Investigation resulted in his mangled remains being found between Pinole and Rodo, so cut to pieces that it was impossible to [illegible] he was thirty years old, was married only six months ago, and was very popular with railroad men. He was known to have strong objections to tramps riding on his train without paying fares and it is thought he may have been thrown off the train by some of that class.

Work on the Worden trail began this morning at Woodland with the examination of H. B. McCrabbe, the roadmaster. He visited the scene of the wreck on the first train that went out of Sacramento to bring back the soldiers and passengers. He described the condition of the road, the position of the fallen engine and tender and cars that were derailed.

A boy who was recently sent to a boarding school has just sent the following letter to his loving and anxious mother: "I got here all right and I forgot to write before. It is a very nice place to have fun. A feller and I went out in a boat, and the boat tipped over and a man got me out, and I was so full of water that I didn't know nothin' for a good long while. The other boy has to be buried after they find him. His mother came from Lincoln, and she cries all the time. A boss kicked me over, and I have got to have some money to pay the doctor for fixing my head. We are going to set an old barn on fire to-night and I should think it would have bully fun. Lost my watch and am very sorry. I shall bring home some mud turtles and I shall bring home a tame woodchuck, if I can get 'em in my trunk.

BALL AND CONCERT.

Partial Programme Decided for Lord Aberdeen's Reception.

The committee named at the public meeting held last Saturday to make arrangements for the reception of Lord and Lady Aberdeen met yesterday afternoon at four o'clock at the city hall to consider their work. Mayor Teague presided, and the gathering was a decidedly representative one, Lieut.-Governor Dewdney and a large number of representative citizens being present.

The lieut.-governor said it was very doubtful that H. M. S. Champion with the distinguished visitors aboard would arrive before dark, and the formal address of welcome might be made at the drill shed.

Mayor Teague said the aldermen were waiting for the committee to map out a programme before making an appropriation, as they did not know how much was required.

Lieut.-Colonel Prior said he hoped the city would give a ball and make every effort to give the governor-general a hearty welcome.

Ald. Munn expressed the opinion that the citizens should pay for the ball themselves. The city might make an appropriation for the reception, but a subscription list should be taken around for the ball.

Senator Macdonald said that if the city gave $500 the sale of tickets in addition would give sufficient money for a creditable ball.

Mr. Justice Crease agreed with the senator, and Major Dupont and Lieut.-Col. Prior suggested that the naval officers be guests on the occasion.

Major Dupont said he believed something besides a ball should be given. The B. C. B. G. A. band was a good one, and a promenade concert free to all would meet with general approval.

Justice Crease moved that the council place $500 at the disposal of the committee. D. R. Ker seconded and the motion was carried.

The following committee was named to carry out the arrangements for the ball: Lieut.-Colonel Prior, Dr. Milne, Ald. Harris, C. E. Renouf, A. C. Flumerfelt, L. Crease and D. R. Ker.

A letter was read from the W. C. T. U. stating that Lady Aberdeen had agreed to deliver an address while here, and asking that Tuesday might be set aside for it. It was decided to reply urging the ladies to make it Tuesday afternoon.

A partial programme was then arranged as follows:

Saturday evening—Presentation of civic and societies' addresses in the drill hall, to be followed by a promenade concert. Wednesday—The public ball.

The following were appointed a decoration and promenade concert committee: Ald. Munn, Ald. Humphrey, T. S. Futcher, A. H. Scaife, A. M. Muir, Major Dupont, Lieut.-Colonel Prior, Dr. Milne, Ald. Keith-Wilson, W. Jensen, George Powell, F. B. Gregory, A. C. Martin, H. Barnard, A. S. Potts, J. H. Falconer and H. E. A. Robertson.

The appointment of the reception committee was left to the mayor.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Fire Reported to Have Broken Out in Wellington Mines.

Nanaimo, Oct. 23.—Edward Barryatt had a miraculous escape from instant death while at work in the Esplanade shaft yesterday morning. Barryatt is a motor driver and while he was on his way out with a trip of thirty cars, he got off his motor, for some purpose. It was going at a high speed. In attempting to get on board again he slipped and the motor threw him on the other side of the track among the timber where he was tumbled by the coal cars as they passed him. Fortunately the accident was seen by Mr. W. McGregor, the manager, and W. J. Randle, the overman. The former immediately sprang on the moving motor and stopped its progress, and in all probability saved the life of the man. He was promptly conveyed to the hospital where it was found he was severely injured about the body, especially his back and legs, although no bones were broken. On his head being examined it was found he had a bad scalp wound about six inches long and half an inch deep. Drs. McKechnie and Drysdale attended to his injuries.

It is reported that a small fire has broken out in No. 6 shaft at Wellington, and that the men were taken out last week as it was feared the mine would have to be flooded. So far the writer has been unable to verify the information, but knowing how difficult it has been previously to discover such information, [illegible]

A report is being circulated that the Nanaimo Waterworks Company intend reducing the water rate next month. The price now paid is $1.50 for a small family and it is reported that it is to be reduced to $1.25. It is the general feeling that the price has been rather high so that if the report is true it will cause much satisfaction.

The quarterly meeting of the N. E. P. S., took place on Saturday evening when the committee reported that the earnings for the quarter was $49.35, or to take the whole report, it stands as follows: Balance on hand on July 1st, $1872.50; sales during the three months ending September 30, $23,395.72; deposits to shares, $136.17; other receipts, $234.50. During the same period there was expended for merchandise, $18,606.46; share capital, $3291.16; insurance, $135; other expenses, $3012.42, leaving a balance on hand of $1916.49. There has been 17 withdrawals during the past quarter an ten new members have joined, the total membership being now 865.

CANADIAN NEWS.

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

Rolland & Co., wholesale furniture, have assigned; liabilities, $100,000.

A Macleod, N. W. T., dispatch says that Editor Matthews of the Gazette, was assaulted in his office by two men named Harris.

Mrs. W. A. Christy, a bride of a month, has mysteriously disappeared from Bloomfield. A vigorous search is being made, but no trace can be found. No explanation is offered to account for her absence.

The Winnipeg Free Press is informed that the amalgamation negotiations pending for some time between the Canada Northwest Land Company and the land department of the C. P. R., have been completed.

Specimens of minerals, woods, botanical and natural history specimens, all collected in the Rocky Mountains, are being made up at the Geological Museum to be sent to the museum just opened in the national park at Banff.

A number of the Conservative leaders have departed from Manitoba for the Dominion capital on some mysterious business, which is causing a good deal of guessing. The delegation is composed of Messrs. A. A. C. Larivière, M. P. for Provencher; W. W. McDonald, M. P. for East Assiniboia; N. Boyd, M. P. for Marquette; R. P. Roblin, Colin Campbell, D. E. Sprague, of Winnipeg; R. Rogers, of Clearwater; Brigham, of Moosomin; T. E. Kelly, of Brandon, and J. A. Davidson, of Neepawa.

The application of the government of Manitoba for permission to widen the head of the Fairfield river at the Narrows of Lake Manitoba, for the purpose of reclaiming submerged lands, has been refused, on the ground that it would interfere with navigation, and is, therefore, outside the jurisdiction of the provincial government. The farmers and stock raisers who have been seriously affected by the floods will have to put up with them or move away. The matter was disposed of on a report to the council by Hon. T. M. Daly.

MAY TAKE PART.

Administration Officials Will Take Part in the Elections.

New York, Oct. 23.—A Herald's Washington special says: President Cleveland's attitude in regard to the participation of administration officials in the present campaign has been somewhat modified, and from this time on federal office holders will take quite a prominent part in the contest. Great pressure has been brought to bear on the president by Democrats from all over the country, who insisted that federal office holders should at least do enough to convince Democrats that the administration is in line with the party. Not only has the president been appealed to, but members of the cabinet and assistant secretaries have been deluged with telegrams calling for aid. The result is that several officials will now take part in the campaign, with the understanding that the president will not disapprove of their action.

CIVIC AND JUDICIAL EXTRAVAGANCE

To the Editor: Can nothing be done to prevent the corporation expending $750 in tom-foolery during the visit of his excellency the governor-general? That the vice-regal party ought to be and will be heartily welcomed there can be no doubt, but there is no reason why the city should at this time when money is urgently needed for other purposes incur this expense. I am sure Lord and Lady Aberdeen would not expect it, and besides it is pretty certain that it is unlawful to do so. The late lamented chief justice spoke very strongly on this point during the session of the royal commission and instanced a civic body in England who, his lordship was pleased to state, had been compelled by law to make good a large sum spent in banqueting the Prince of Wales. The new chief justice apparently does not intend to follow his worthy predecessor in this [illegible] good time at other people's expense. No one objects to a public ball, but it is surely reasonable that those who desire to display themselves in the sunshine of royalty's representatives should pay the fiddler, and not throw the burden on the poor unfortunates who are now struggling to make up their taxes.

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BRIEF LOCALS

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in Condensed Form.

—Guaranteed razors and outfits at Fox's, 78 Government street.

—A meeting of the degree of honor, A. O. U. W., is called for to-night.

When ordering Flour ask for Lion Brand. Lion! Lion! Lion!

—An open session of Perseverance lodge, I. O. G. T., will be held this evening.

—The government offices, which have heretofore closed at four o'clock, will hereafter close at five.

—The fourteen year old daughter of George Brown, of Beecher bay, shot a large panther on Saturday.

—The conversazione at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church to-night promises to be a very interesting affair.

—Plain cocoa mats, bordered cocoa mats, skeleton cocoa mats and every other kind of mat at Weiler Bros.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kinnaird will this evening entertain the members of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Presbyterian church and their friends.

—Rev. Dr. Sutherland, general secretary of the missionary society of the Methodist church of Canada, is on his way from Winnipeg to the coast.

—Mrs. W. J. Pendray, of 92 Belleville street, has invited the members and friends of the W. C. T. U. to attend a parlor social at her home on Thursday evening.

—The ladies' missionary society of the Metropolitan church yesterday afternoon entertained the ladies of the church and members of the other Methodist churches.

—The lowest tenderer for the construction of the Dominion government buildings at Victoria is an eastern man, the next being a Victorian. There were fifteen tenders.

—There will be a social and entertainment at the school room of the Centennial Methodist church to-morrow evening. Some excellent talent has been secured, and the programme will be varied. Refreshments will be served.

—The funeral of the late William Rothwell took place on Sunday afternoon. Services were conducted in St. Paul's church, Esquimalt, and at the grave by Rev. C. E. Sharp. The pall bearers were Messrs. Jensen, King, Pearce, Bailey, Day and Campbell.

—The advisability of introducing technical instruction into the public schools will be discussed at a meeting at the city hall on Thursday night, at which the school board, teachers and Colonel Baker, minister of education, will be present. There will be an exchange of views on the subject.

—The committee in charge of the charity ball have everything in readiness for the event, which will take place at A. O. U. W. hall to-morrow night. They have labored hard to attain success and are entitled to the greatest credit. Those who are going to contribute to the supper are requested to send their contributions to the hall early to-morrow.

—Several hundred Victorians attended the concert given at the drill hall last evening by Cassasa's Midwinter exposition band. Every number on the programme was good and each received an encore, which was generously responded to. The cornet duet by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bates, the solo by Mr. Bates, the trombone solo by Mr. Tobin and Fritchie's clarionet solo were much enjoyed.

—During the trial of a case in Judge Hume's court yesterday Clerk P. D. Hughes was surprised and greatly pleased at meeting an old friend, Arthur Letts, whom he had not seen for a

Intelligencer. The two men served together in the Northwest rebellion of 1885, Hughes being a captain and Letts a private, and took part in the fight against Chief Poundmaker's Indians at Cut Knife creek, where Letts helped to save the life of a wounded comrade, at the same time exposing himself to a heavy fire. The act of bravery did not go unnoticed, and in the official report of the battle Letts was given a highly complimentary notice.

—Christy bread and cake knives at Fox's.

—Teeth extracted, 50c. each. Dr. A. Humber, 93 1-2 Douglas street.

Lion! Lion! Lion! Nothing like the Lion Flour.

—The collier Wellington arrived at Esquimalt this morning to go on the marine railway.

—Weiler Bros. have opened up a line of inexpensive rocking chairs. These goods are strong and very effective for the money.

The Lion Brand of Flour. Cheapest and best. Try it once; use it always.

—The decoration committee in connection with the governor-general's reception meets at the city hall at three o'clock to-morrow.

—Tickets for the hospital ball on the 24th instant are for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co., Robert Jamieson, Challoner & Mitchell, and the ladies' committee.

—It is stated that Bailey the Pacheena Indian who was accidentally shot by Sergeant Levin, will recover and that it will not be necessary to amputate his leg.

—Richard Horne, charged with impersonating an officer, was let go yesterday as there was no case against him. Chief Sheppard says he never authorized Horne to do any work for him.

—The German bark Senta has gone up the Fraser river to load salmon for Bell-Irving & Patterson for Liverpool. She came up from Honolulu in ballast and was towed up by an American tug.

—At a council of the Songhees tribe held last night, Michael Cooper, brother-in-law of the late chief, Charles Freezie, was elected chief. It was decided to limit the term of chieftaincy to three years and not elect one for life, as formerly. Indian Agent Lomas was present and received the ballots. He occupied a separate room and each member of the tribe filed in and gave him his ballot. Willie Jack was elected to the vacant place in the council made by the elevation of Michael.

—The hearing of the charge of burglary preferred against John Rooney and John Robinson in connection with the robbery of John Drant's saloon on Saturday night, was called in police court again this morning and Rooney attempted to prove an alibi. A. Campbell and C. Magirl swore positively that Rooney was with them from ten o'clock Saturday night until 2:30 Sunday morning, and was not out of their sight for five minutes. The magistrate remanded the case until to-morrow to go into the evidence.

—Reports for the year were presented at the annual meeting of the Queen City Building, Loan & Savings Association held last evening. The directors' report shows a profit of 13 per cent. for the year; working expenses, $150; liabilities, $4700 and assets $5300. Several amendments were made to the by-laws, including one making members who had five shares eligible as directors. B. Williams was unanimously re-elected secretary and the following were elected as directors: Charles Williams, Chas. Kent, A. A. Aaronson, W. D. McKillican and H. Weideman.

—The Empress of Japan arrived here this afternoon, 11 days from Yokohama. She was off the outer wharf at 2:30 o'clock, but it was nearly four o'clock when the tender Sadie reached the outer wharf on the return from the ship. She brought about 25 cabin passengers, among them Dr. George H. Duncan, city health officer. She has a full cargo of freight. When the ship left Yokohama everybody was awaiting the result of the expedition against Pekin. Major Richter, late military adviser in Tientsin to Li Hung Chang, was a passenger on the way to his home in Germany. He is disgusted with the condition of the Chinese army and his inability to effect a single reform.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

Appeal Allowed in the Case of the Union Club.

An important decision has been rendered by Mr. Justice Crease in the case of the corporation v. the Union club.

This was an appeal of the defendants from the order of the local magistrate to the county court for non-payment of $100 assessed by the corporation under section 173 of the municipal act, 1889.

His lordship in rendering his decision stated that the conduct of an association on the lines of the club is not carrying on a trade and does not make sales for a trade profit, but is in fact a private establishment. The association is not a partnership, but an association formed for purpose of joint profits, although members were joint owners. That dealing with liquor in a club is not a sale under a mercantile sense. Any member is entitled to obtain goods on payment of the price. It does not constitute a sale, as a sale involves the elements of a bargain, but his subscription to the club entitles a member to have goods sold to him at a certain price, and that the defendants do not come within the description of a trading concern. For these reasons and others defined in his judgment his lordship allowed the appeal with costs.

It appears that Lady Thompson only fractured one of the small bones of her wrist the other day. Although the accident caused some pain at the time the limb is progressing nicely.

Seal Teeth!

Jewellery of all kinds in fine gold and beautifully finished is what Pennock & Lowe, the Jewellers, are making a specialty of just now. 63 Government St., next Spencer's Arcade.

"CHARLEY'S AUNT."

The Mirth Provoking Comedy to be Presented Here this Evening.

Brandon Thomas, the author of "Charley's Aunt," appears to have struck a comparatively novel idea. A novelty is what audiences, and more particularly an American audience, hungers for. Give them a novelty and they will flock to the theatre if the novelty be amusing or interesting. Mr. Thomas, from all accounts, has given them an amusing novelty, and having done so the reward has proved exceedingly great in a financial way. A faint outline of the plot will give a suggestion of the series of mirth-provoking situations and complications which must necessarily follow the amusing point from which the author starts.

A couple of young fellows have invited their sweethearts to take tea with them at their apartment in college, the entertainment to be made quite proper by the presence of a very wealthy widow, who is at that moment on her way from Brazil to visit her nephew, an undergraduate in the same institution. When the time for the tea arrives the young fellows learn that the widow has missed connections and will not be able to reach the college until a couple of hours later. They don't want to give up the pleasure of their sweethearts' society, and they know that the girls will not remain unless properly chaperoned. In this extremity they persuade a chum to impersonate the widow. He consents to do so after a time, and the tea continues.

Before the tea is over, however, a number of people appear, and the disguised and unhappy youth is forced to submit to a number of introductions, being called by his fellow conspirators Charley's Aunt. Now, as this aunt is known to be worth several millions, suitors appear at once and make violent love to the disguised undergraduate. Fresh complications follow rapidly, and the audience is kept in a constant state of laughter.

The engagement opens at the Victoria theatre to-night, and will be continued with a matinee to-morrow afternoon, closing to-morrow night.

SALMON FOR ENGLAND.

British Ship Clan Robertson Ready to Sail.

The British ship Clan Robertson is ready to sail for London from the Fraser river with a cargo of salmon, the manifest of which is as follows:

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Marks.	Cases Salmon.	Value.
P S L (3 lots)	7,999	$ 29,995
G (3 lots)	5,205	23,423
E T & Co., L L	33	165
E T & Co. L (3 lots)	2,001	10,005
S R (2 lots)	1,249	6,245
P	1,287	9,000
O—T	4	20
O	374	1,870
G	3,205	14,423
A	1,500	6,750
"B"	1,000	3,875
"D"	2,000	7,750
"H"	1,000	3,875
P S—L (2 lots)	4,249	21,245
P L—S	2,001	10,005
R (3 lots)	3,000	15,000
G (labels)	5	350

BY J. H. TODD & SON.

Marks.	Cases Salmon.	Value.
"Horse Shoe"	1,300	$ 6,175
"T." L	1,300	6,175
"P." L	1,396	6,980

BY G. I. WILSON.

Marks.	Cases Salmon.	Value.
"Magnet"	5,000	$24,638

BY ANGLO B. C. PACKING CO.

Marks.	Cases Salmon.	Value.
H S B	250	$ 2,250
A B C, A—"J W Co."	101	505
A—"O"	27	135
"S R" (3 lots)	1,100	8,200
"S R" (3 lots)	5,750	29,750
J W Co, (6 lots)	4,097	20,844
"L"	1,000	6,000
"L"	1,000	5,000
"P S"	5,000	25,000
"L W B"	400	2,400
"L W B"	500	2,500
"S R" (2 lots)	1,300	7,300
A, "T," J	250	1,750
J, "W," Co	835	4,175
"O"	45	396
J, "W" Co	11	99
"J F Co"	15	75

BY CONFEDERATION BRAND CANNING CO.

Marks.	Cases Salmon.	Value.
"F, M"—D (2 lots)	5,883	29,415
F, M—"S"	1,517	7,885
F, M—V	2,273	11,365
D—F, M	54	270
"F M"	2,610	13,050

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BRITISH COLUMBIA COAL

Sound Papers Object to the Use of Our Coal for the U. S. Navy.

A special dispatch from Port Townsend to the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, says: "The navy department persists in discriminating against the Washington coal mines and in the interest of the British Columbia collieries. The ship Highland Light has been engaged by the government to take 300 tons from Comox and 1700 tons of coal from the Departure Bay mines to Honolulu for the use of the United States naval vessels. The lowest amount of wages paid to laborers to get 2000 tons of coal from the mine to tide water for shipment, as estimated by numerous experts, is $3.15 a ton. That means that over $6000 is virtually taken away from the coal miners of the State of Washington by the United States government and is given to the cheap labor classes of British Columbia, which includes a large number of Japs and Chinese, who work for wages that are 15 per cent. lower than is paid in the Puget Sound collieries.

W. B. Dunning, past assistant engineer, United States navy, was sent north by Secretary of the Navy Herbert to negotiate for several thousand tons of coal to be shipped to Honolulu and Mare Island for naval purposes. For the Behring Sea naval fleet alone the United States paid the owners of the Comox mine $100,000 for coal. The consumption of British Columbia coal at the Mare Island navy yard increased that sum to $600,000. Had an American policy been pursued, of that sum fully $40,000 would have been expended among the miners of the State of Washington."

BOTH WERE UNCONSCIOUS.

Mr. and Mrs. William Knox Found in an Insensible Condition at Their Home

Mr. William Knox, who keeps a tea store on Government street and resides on Collison street, did not attend at his place of business yesterday morning, so one of his business neighbors, Mr. Fawcett, became uneasy and went to Mr. Knox's residence to see if anything was wrong. He found the house locked up, but listening at the door, heard groans. He immediately informed the police, and at 2:30 yesterday afternoon, in company with Officer Carson, paid a second visit to the house. The officer forced open one of the windows, when he found Mrs. Knox lying on the bed and Mr. Knox on the floor, both in an unconscious condition. Mrs. Knox was foaming at the mouth and, the officer thinking the couple had been poisoned in some way, sent for a doctor. Doctors Duncan and Watt responded and by administering restoratives soon soon brought the couple back to consciousness. Mr. Knox recovered completely, but it was found necessary to remove Mrs. Knox to the hospital, where she now is.

The theory of the officer that poison had been accidentally taken was wrong. Mr. Knox states that during the night his wife took a fit, and while he was attending to her, he was also attacked by dizziness, which caused him to become unconscious.

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HOOD'S PILLS cure all liver ills, billiousness, jaundice, indigestion, sick headache, 25c.

Martin Malone, a Hamilton barrister, has issued a writ against ex-Ald. McBride, for alleged slander, consisting of having called him a thief, rogue and a robber. The amount of damages is not stated.

Duke of Cambridge Scotch Whisky is always chosen for the Great Masonic Banquet in London.

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Ladies' Cloth Jackets, Braid Trimmings	$3 85
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Ladies' Ulsters from	3 00
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"After receiving so much benefit from Paine's Celery Compound, I think it my duty to inform sufferers what this great medicine can do for all who wish to regain health and strength. I have been a great sufferer for years from nervousness and weakness, and have had the advice and attendance of doctors with but little benefit. I was induced to use your Paine's Celery Compound some time ago, and I must confess it is the best medicine I ever used. Nothing else has ever done me so much good, and I now feel quite a different person.

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DREADFUL DEBAUCHERY.

One by One a Family Dies from the Effects of Drink.

New York, Oct. 22.—A few feet back from the Fort Lee road, dignified by the title of First street, stands a two story frame house half hidden from the foot path by a tangled garden, and a sprawling grape vine trails both in the front and in the rear. The house is a hopeless ruin, and on all sides it is surrounded by an orchard and garden, rapidly growing to wildness. Across the front of the house there is a broad scar, where once a verandah shaded the doorway, and what was once the stoop is now a pile of weather beaten lumber. Inside of this house there have during late years scenes of depravity and degradation, and at one time there lived there together four persons, two men and two women, who day in and day out carried on debauchery that brought on Thursday a drunkard's death to the third of the quartette. The strangest part of the story is that these people were wealthy and could have lived, had they chosen, in a manner far above the means of their neighbors. The woman who died last Thursday was Mary Louise Brogan. She was the daughter of a wholesale butcher, who at one time did a large business in this city. In her youth she had every advantage of wealth, and during the few times she shook off her craze for strong drink and sought the companionship of respectable persons she gave evidence of considerable education. This woman and her three companions, her mother, brother Edward, and her uncle, George Patterson, first came to the notice of Fort Lee about twelve years ago, when they moved into a tumbledown house on Fourth street owned by one Hackett, who later on turned out to be the executor of the estate of John Brogan, the girl's father. They had not been in the village more than a few weeks when the riotous scenes that have been created there became the talk of the neighborhood. It was drink morning, noon and night; drink whenever it could be had, and when there was no drink to be had the quartette lapsed into a condition bordering on delirium tremens. A few years ago, however, Edward Brogan succumbed. About this time news came that the two women and George Patterson had a joint fortune amounting to something like $50,000. The figures were even placed at double this amount, and from one source came the statement that it was the residue of a large estate. Last February George Patterson staggered into Meble's undertaking shop and in thick tongued accents said that his sister, Mrs. Brogan, was dead. From that time on the pace grew hotter. Patterson slouched into the undertaker's on Saturday again and said that his niece was dead. They found her lying in a bed covered only by a rag and with one slipper upon her foot. The other lay under the bed, filled with small coins. Her face, which still showed traces of good looks, was bloated by drink and the changes of death. The autopsy held on Saturday evening showed that she, like the others, had been overtaken by death while drunk. Last night she lay in the morgue, and George Patterson, the uncle, reeled home as usual in maudlin yet cheerful drunkenness.

EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Annual German Socialist Congress at Frankfort-on-the-Main.

London, Oct. 22.—A Berlin dispatch to the Times says that though the Prussian cabinet sat for five hours on Friday, further meetings are expected before a final decision in regard to the repressive measures against Socialists is arrived at. Among the measures likely to be adopted is a strict press law, with stringent provisions against the glorification of crimes and criminals. The dispatch adds that two versions have been published of a passage in the emperor's speech delivered at the consecration of the flags on Thursday, and that these have caused a lively controversy. One version makes the passage a rhetorical expression of confidence that the half battalions for which the flags were intended would, if required to fight, be as successful as whole battalions. The other version makes the passage a definite expression of the hope that the half battalions would soon be converted into whole battalions. If the latter rendition is correct, it foreshadows an immense increase in the peace effective, which would occasion fierce opposition in the reichstag. Unfortunately the official papers omit the phraseology, which was mysterious and significant.

The annual German Socialist congress opened Sunday evening in Lillie hall, at Bornheim, a suburb of Frankfort, in the presence of an immense gathering of workingmen. The congress was attended by 200 delegates of both sexes, including nearly all the Socialistic members of the reichstag and diets of Saxony, Baden and Bavaria. There were also many Austrian, Hungarian, Swiss and English Socialists present. Herr Friedrich Bruehne, a master shoemaker of Frankfort and a member of the reichstag, opened the proceedings.

William Liebnecht, the well known Socialist leader, welcomed the delegates. He gave a historical retrospect of the rise and development and struggles of the party, remarking that fresh repressive measures were being planned against the social democracy. He, however regarded the project with equanimity, and declared that the proposed new repressive measures would be as powerless to check as Prince Bismarck's similar law. Herr Singer, of Berlin, and Herr Schwartz, of Lubeck, were elected presidents. Various questions of business procedure were discussed, after which an adjournment was taken.

The Kreuz Zeitung, ultra Conservative, states that the address presented to Emperor William by the deputation of the Farmers' Alliance of East Prussia, declared that it was far from being the intention of the landed proprietors to oppose their king, their natural shield and protector. They would joyfully sacrifice their last drop of blood for him. In replying to the deputation the emperor said he was sincerely gratified to learn that his words at Koenigsburg had been rightly interpreted, and that East Prussia had addressed its king in person, confiding in his paternal care. He added that it afforded him particular satisfaction to know that the prediction that the East Prussians would be the foremost to follow their king in the fight for religion, morality and order was already being fulfilled. His solicitude for the agricultural and landed interests, both large and small, would never relax, while on the other hand he trusted to God that, with the help of the well disposed sections of the nation, it might be possible to lead the Fatherland without serious convulsions through the disintegrating aims.

A fierce gale raged along the British coast Saturday and Sunday, causing many casualties. The wind was so strong and the sea so high that the channel boats were greatly delayed. The Warner lightship, while being towed from Spithead to her station, broke away from the tug when near New Haven and was driven ashore. A boat was lowered to replace the tow line, but a heavy sea capsized it and four occupants were drowned. The lightship was soon driven ashore. Two other boats were also driven ashore at the same place. The crews of all were saved by the lifeboat crew and the coast guardsmen. Many other exciting rescues of the crews of vessels driven ashore at various places are reported. The loss to the owners of fishing vessels is large, many of their boats having been destroyed. Much damage was done on land by the storm.

The re-balloting for members of the chamber of representatives, which took place to-day, passed off without any disorder. The returns thus far indicate clerical success in Brussels. Eighteen Catholics have won seats formerly occupied by Liberals.

Rheumatism is primarily caused by acidity of the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, and thus cures the disease.

(No. 137.)

A BY-LAW.

To Authorize the Sale of Lands Within the City of Victoria upon which Taxes have been due and in arrear for two years.

Whereas it is expedient that all lands or improvements or real property within the limits of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, upon which municipal taxes have been due and in arrear for two years, shall be sold, and the proceeds applied in the reduction of such taxes:

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The Collector of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria is hereby authorized and directed whensoever taxes on any land or improvements or real property have been due for two years preceding the current year, to submit to the Mayor of the City of Victoria a list, in duplicate, of all the lands or improvements or real property liable, under the provisions of this by-law, to be sold for taxes, with the amount of arrears against each lot set opposite to the same, and the Mayor shall authenticate such list by affixing thereto the seal of the Corporation and his signature, and one of such lists shall be deposited with the Clerk of the Corporation, and the other shall be returned to the collector with a warrant thereto annexed under the hand of the Mayor and the seal of the Corporation commanding him to levy upon the land or improvements or real property for the arrears due thereon with his costs.

2. It shall not be the duty of the collector to make inquiry before effecting a sale of lands or improvements or real property for taxes, to ascertain whether or not there is any distress upon the land, nor shall he be bound to inquire into or form any opinion of the value of the land or improvements or real property.

3. The collector shall prepare a copy of the list of lands or improvements or real property to be sold, and shall include therein, in a separate column, a statement of the proportion of costs chargable on each lot for advertising and for the commissions authorized by this by-law to be paid to him, and shall cause a copy of such list to be printed for a period of one month preceding the date of such intended sale in some newspaper published in the City of Victoria.

4. The advertisement shall contain a notification that unless the arrears and costs are sooner paid he will proceed to sell the lands or improvements or real property for the taxes on a day, a time, and at a place named in the advertisement.

5. The collector shall at least two months before the time of sale, also deliver to or deposit in the post office to the address of the owner of such property which is to be sold for taxes aforesaid, or to the agent of such owner, a notice in writing of the amount of taxes due, and that the property is to be sold for arrears so due, and in case the address of the owner or agent is unknown, a notice to the same effect shall be posted upon the land intended to be sold, and also at least two months before the time of sale, post a notice similar to the above advertisement in some convenient and public places, that is to say, at the Council Chambers, Victoria, and in the Post Office Building, Victoria.

6. The day of sale shall the the thirty-third day after the first publication in a newspaper of such list, exclusive of the day of such publication, except in case the thirty-third day shall fall on a Sunday or holiday, in which case such sale shall take place on the following day at the Council Chambers, in the City of Victoria, and shall begin at 12 o'clock noon.

7. If at any time appointed for the sale of the lands or improvements or real property, no bidder appear, the collector may adjourn the sale from time to time.

8. If the taxes have not been previously collected, or if no one appears to pay the same at the time and place appointed for the sale, the collector shall sell at public auction so much of the land or improvements or real property as may be sufficient to discharge the taxes and all lawful charges incurred in and about the sale and the collection of the taxes, selling in preference such part as he may consider best for the owner to sell first, and in offering such lands or improvements or real property for sale, it shall not be necessary to describe particularly the portion of the lot or section which shall be sold, but it will be sufficient to say that he will sell so much of the lot or section as shall be necessary to secure the payment of the taxes due, and the amount of taxes stated in the advertisement shall in all cases be prima facie evidence of the correct amount due.

9. If the collector fails at such sale to sell such land or improvements or real property for the full amount of arrears of the taxes due, he shall at such sale adjourn the same until a day be publicly named by him, not earlier than one week nor later than three months thereafter, of which adjourned sale he shall give notice by advertisement in the newspaper in which the original notice was advertised, and on such day he shall sell such lands or improvements or real property for such sum as he can realize, and shall accept such sum as full payment for such arrears of taxes.

10. If the purchaser of any property or parcel of land fails immediately to pay the collector the amount of the purchase money, the collector shall forthwith again put up the property for sale.

11. Immediately after every sale the collector shall return a list of the arrears satisfied by such sale to the Clerk of the Corporation, and shall at the same time pay in the proceeds to the Treasurer of the said Corporation.

12. The collector shall be entitled to five per centum commission upon the sums collected by him as aforesaid.

13. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale By-Law, 1894."

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of October, A. D. 1894.

Reconsidered, adopted, and finally passed the Council this 18th day of October, A. D. 1894.

JOHN TEAGUE,
(L.S.) Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

The above notice is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1894, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

TRANSPORTATION.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO 19.

To Take Effect at 8.00 a.m. on Thursday October 12th, 1893.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND. READ UP. No. 3 Daily.		No. 5 Passenger Fd.'s Sal.'s & Sundays.	Miles from Wellington.	STATIONS.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.		No. 3 Passenger Fd.'s Sal.'s & Sundays.	Miles from Victoria.	NORTH BOUND READ DOWN. No. 2 Daily.	
Lv.	M	Ar.			Lv.	M	Lv.		Ar.	M
1 00	M	5 00 P M		VICTORIA	8 30	A M	3 30 P M		10 30	A M
1 08		5 08	2	Russ'lls	8 22		3 22	2	10 22	
1 14		5 14	4	Esquimalt	8 16		3 16	4	10 16	
1 20		5 20	6	Colwood	8 10		3 10	6	10 10	
1 26		5 26	8	Langford	8 04		3 04	8	10 04	
1 34		5 34	10	Goldstream	7 56		2 56	10	9 56	
1 40		5 40	12	Summit Siding	7 50		2 50	12	9 50	
1 50		5 50	15	Shawnigan Lake	7 40		2 40	15	9 40	
2 00		6 00	20	Cobble Hill	7 30		2 30	20	9 30	
2 15		6 15	26	Cowichan	7 15		2 15	26	9 15	
2 25		6 25	30	Duncans	7 05		2 05	30	9 05	
2 40		6 40	36	Somenos	6 50		1 50	36	8 50	
2 50		6 50	40	Chemainus	6 40		1 40	40	8 40	
3 15		7 15	53	Oyster Bay Siding	6 15		1 15	53	8 15	
3 30		7 30	60	NANAIMO	6 00		1 00	60	8 00	
4 00		8 00	74	WELLINGTON	5 30		12 30	74	7 30	

ON FRIDAYS, SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter good for return not later than Sunday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for seven days, including day of issue.

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11 45 pm	Lv	38	Pt. Townsend	72	Lv 1 30 pm
3 00 am	Lv	82	....Seattle....	28	Lv 10 15 am
4 45 am	Ar	110	...*Tacoma...	M1	Lv 8 00 am

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CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO.,

(LIMITED.)

TIME TABLE NO. 24,

Taking effect Sept. 1st, 1894.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock a.m.

New Westminster Route.

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Luiu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going east Monday.)

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For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney, Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leave New Westminster for Victoria, Monday at 13:15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Various Matters Relating to City Streets, Sewers and Drains Discussed.

Reception of the Governor General —The Procedure By-Law Passed.

Ald. Styles was the first to present himself in the council chamber for last evening's meeting, and he was soon followed by the mayor, Ald. Baker, Ledingham, Humphreys, Dwyer and Munn.

J. G. Elliott wrote forwarding a resolution passed at the last annual meeting of the board of fire underwriters with reference to the increase of the fire insurance rates. The resolution was as follows:

"That on and after the first of November next, the rates in the city of Victoria be increased ten per cent. on present rates, and remain so until such time as the tax of $300 on fire insurance companies be reduced to $150 per annum."

Referred to finance committee.

E. Crow Baker addressed the council to the effect that city employees had been utilizing the telephone company's poles for city electric lighting purposes.

Referred to electric light committee.

Mr. McGuigan, city clerk of Vancouver, wrote [illegible] the council on the subject of [illegible] their action with reference to the ownership and maintenance of the lazaretto.

Harrison & Mortby wrote asking for settlement of their account re McClure street sewer. Laid on the table for further consideration.

The city engineer reported on the cost of several drains projected on various streets.

Building Inspector Northcott drew attention to the fact that the city hall was one of the buildings not in conformity with the Fire Escape Act. The matter was referred to the finance and city hall committees.

Several reports were received and adopted, from the finance committee, aggregating $4000 odd.

Mr. Dowler reported since the last regular meeting the following communications had been received and referred to the respective committees mentioned:

Streets—W. Rockett and 15 others, calling attention to the unfinished state of upper end of Johnson street, from George street to the boundary of Amor Decosmos' property, and requesting that the same be graded and a sidewalk laid thereon.

George Calder and 18 others, requesting that a six foot sidewalk be laid on the west side of San Juan avenue from Niagara street to Dallas road.

Henry R. Sellick and 16 others, requesting that a new bridge be constructed across a ditch on Belton street, Burnside road, and suggesting that the timber from the old bridge there be used in erecting the new one.

Sewerage—Wm. A. Franklin, requesting the removal of clay, which was taken up in the construction of sewers be removed from the front of his premises, 175 Superior street, James Bay.

Thomas Potter, calling attention to the necessity for a drain to carry off the surface water, running down Chambers street to the corner of Queen's avenue.

Pound—James Fairall, suggesting that a corral be erected in Victoria West, and stating that he would be unable to attend the meeting of the pound committee as requested.

Requisitions duly certified, from the school board, amounting to $3500, were honored.

The pound committee reported that, in the matter of the charge laid against Poundkeeper Shaw, the committee did not think Mr. Shaw had departed from the by-law.

This closed the formal business of the meeting.

His worship referred to the meeting held in the council chamber yesterday afternoon with reference to the reception of the governor-general. The idea of that meeting was that the council should vote a sum of money sufficient to properly receive his excellency in keeping with his rank and position. It was not intended to go into any excessive or unnecessary cost, but to give Lord and

The matter was left in the hands of the mayor and finance committee to arrange.

Ald. Munn mentioned that he had received a letter from an architect asking why the premiums for the causeway plans had not been paid.

His worship said the only hitch now was that the finance committee would have to talk over the matter of which the money was to come from to pay these premiums.

After some little discussion the matter was still left with the finance committee.

Ald. Ledingham asked, in reference to day work on the sewers, why should not the superintendent be placed in the same position with regard to authority over his men as a contractor has, both in the matter of the number of hours work a day and engaging and discharging men.

Some of the aldermen were of opinion that nine hours a day should constitute a day's labor. A resolution was put and carried drawing the attention of the sewer commissioners to the fact that the wishes of the council were in favor of a working day of nine hours, and also recommending that the superintendent have the power of fixing the daily rate

The council then resolved itself into committee of the whole to consider the [illegible] by clauses, and was passed, with the exception of a few clauses left over for amendment on further consideration.

Ald. Munn suggested the advisability of holding meetings once a fortnight instead of once a week as now. He thought there were many labor questions at present referred to the council which could be dealt with by committee. Such an arrangement would be productive of a saving in more senses than one.

A number of the aldermen were of opinion that such a scheme would not work satisfactorily, inasmuch as there were constantly important matters coming up for consideration, and which often required immediate attention, but were of too important a nature to be dealt with by a committee.

The remaining clauses left for amendment were then considered and passed, and the committee rose, reported the by-law complete with amendments, when the report was adopted and the by-law passed.

It was 10:15 o'clock when the council rose.

HENRY IRVING.

THE GREATEST OF LIVING ACTORS. HELD IN THE HIGHEST ESTEEM BY THOSE WHO KNOW HIM BEST. HIS OPINION ON 'VIN MARIANI.'

It is said of Mr. Irving that, though an upright and thoroughly honorable man he plays the Devil (Faust) as no other man can.

After perusing the many strong expressions from other eminent men and women througout Europe as to the merits of Vin Mariani as a tonic stimulant Mr. Irving says: 'I can certainly add my testimonial to the virtues of 'Vin Mariani,' which I have found excellent, and am well convinced of its quality.' This tonic coca wine (Vin Mariani) invigorates and sustains weak constitutions run down by over-exertion of body or brain. What can be more convincing than the written endorsements of seven thousand prominent physicians. Send stamp to Lawrence A. Wilson & Co., Montreal, the Canadian agents of this beautiful wine, and get a little album, free, containing the photos and testimonials of celebrities throughout the world.

HON. S. RICHARDS.

Career of the Well Known Politician Who Died Recently.

One of a family of eminent and notable Canadian jurists, all of whom attained high position in the political life of the country, has passed away in the person of Hon. Stephen Richards, who expired suddenly in Toronto on Thursday last. The late Mr. Richards, like his brothers the late Chief Justice Sir William Buell Richards, and ex-Lieutenant-Governor Richards of British Columbia, was a native of Brockville, where he was born in 1820. He received his education at the well known Johnstown district grammar school, and subsequently attended Potsdam Academy, New York, where he had for a class mate the late Mr. Alonzo Wright, who has predeceased him. Called to the bar in the early forties, the departed jurist long and successfully practiced his profession at the western capital, where and throughout the province his eminent legal talents and inflexible integrity won for him the highest respect and reputation. Given silk by Sir John Macdonald in 1858, along with the present Sir Thomas Galt, the late Judge Duggan, Mr. D. B. Read and one or two others, Mr. Richards was in due course elected a bencher; and in 1876, on the lamented death of John Hillyard Cameron, reached the highest office in the gift of the profession, namely—the treasurership of the law society. This position he subsequently resigned [illegible] country for a prolonged stay abroad, and was succeeded by one no less eminent and worthy—Hon. Edward Blake.

In politics, Mr. Richards, like his brothers, was a follower of Mr. Baldwin, but on the retirement from public life of the father of responsible government, he, unlike the other members of his family, joined forces with those of Sir John Macdonald, and in 1861 became the coalition candidate in South Oxford against the Hon. William Macdougall, the sitting member. Being defeated he did not venture again to secure a seat in parliament, and it was not until the accomplishment of confederation in 1867 that, being appointed to a seat in Mr. Sandfield Macdonald's administration, he returned to the political arena. In that year he was elected to the Ontario legislature for Niagara, a constituency he continued to represent up to the close of his political career. While in office he had charge of the department of crown lands and the secretariat, the duties connected with which he ably and successfully discharged. Sir John Carling and the late Chief Justice Sir M. C. Cameron were both colleagues of Mr. Richards in the "Patent Combination," the name ironically given by George Brown to Mr. Macdonald's government. Prudence and economy, at all events, were the guiding principles of that administration, and it may truthfully be said that at no time have the affairs of the empire province been more closely or more carefully cared for.

The late Mr. Richards in his time enjoyed a very extensive practice, the firm, Richards & Jackson, being, we believe, more widely known throughout the province than that of any other. Mr. Richards was an able, industrious and conscientious counsel, and like the Robinsons, McCarthys, Osders and Lounts of the present day, his name appeared on almost every brief of importance, including such well known cases as that relating to the extradition of John Anderson, the slave, the "Double Shuffle," the Russell election fraud, the Norfolk shrievalty, the Bond-Halliday distillery frauds and the "brawling brood of bribers" case against the Toronto Mail.

The death of the old advocate removes a once familiar figure from the precincts of Osgoode hall, and awakens many tender and interesting associations connected with the past, a past redolent with recollections of such impressive figures on the public stage as the Robinsons, Hagermans, Sullivans, Macaulays, Drapers, Jamesons, Macdonalds, Sherwoods, Blakes, Wilsons, Camerons, McLeans, Vankoughnets, Harrisons, Mosses, Eccles and others like them whose eloquence, wit and learning have given character and distinction to the bench and bar of Upper Canada second to none. To have won and deserved a place on the scroll of fame along with many of the more distinguished of these men as Stephen Richards did, was an achievement which certainly speaks well for his professional excellence, legal research and strength of character.

By marriage Mr. Richards was allied to a well known family on the Rideau, his wife, an amiable, clever and accomplished woman, having been the daughter of the late Benjamin Chaffey, of Newboro', one of whose sons, it will be remembered, constructed a large portion of the Victoria bridge as a sub-contractor under Mr. James Hodges. Members of the same family have more recently won fame and fortune in Australia in connection with the establishment by them of the Chaffey irrigation colonies. Mr. Richards' eldest son, Albert Elswood Richards, also belongs to the legal profession, being in active practice in Winnipeg, where he is president of the Manitoba Law Society.

The remains were taken on Saturday to Brockville for interment. At the funeral yesterday many old time politicians were present. Services were held in Trinity church, whose the rector, Dr. Nimmo, delivered an eloquent address in reviewing the career and character of the departed jurist. The following chief mourners also acted as pallbearers: Messrs. W. M. Richards, William Buell, S. B. Clark, Henry J. Morgan, Albert Norton Morgan and Edward Reynolds.—Ottawa Citizen.

ENDED THE WAR.

A New Theory as to the Cause of Lee's Surrender in 1865.

"It's all very well to talk about bravery and good generalship, but the fact is that we were driven by the blockading squadrons," said an ex-Confederate the other day. "We couldn't get any coffee after a time, and then we didn't take long to whip us. With [illegible] stimulating effects we'd still be fighting."

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City Engineer.

Tuesday, October 23, 1894.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Government Street, between Fort and Yates, and Yates Street between Government and Broad, are closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, B. C., August 27th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Herald Street between Government and Douglas Streets is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

October 2nd—tf.

NOTICE.

Douglas Street, from Pembroke Street to King's Road, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

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NOTICE.

Yates street from Langley to Wharf is closed to traffic till further notice.

By order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc9-tf

NOTICE.

Bastion Street, from Langley to Wharf, is closed to traffic till further notice.

By order,

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

oc9-tf

NOTICE.

Langley Street, from Courtney to Yates Street, is closed to public traffic till further notice.

By order,

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, October 15th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Courtney Street, from Wharf to Langley Street, is closed to public traffic till further notice.

By order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, October 15th, 1894.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1894, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon at Number 72 Yates street, in the City of Victoria, will be sold by public auction by Mr. George Byrnes, auctioneer, under a chattel mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, all the stock-in-trade, trade fixtures, goods, chattels and personal property, carcasses and meats of a butcher business carried on upon the said premises, delivery carts, horses, wagons, and all that the slaughtering machinery and plant used in connection therewith situate on the North Dairy Farm; between Cedar Hill and Saanich roads.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the auctioneer, or solicitors for the mortgagees, Board of Trade Building, Bastion street, Victoria, B. C.

McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD,
Solicitors for the Mortgagees.

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THE TIMES' ADS. ARE ALL "ALIVE."

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LEGAL NOTICES.

RE JOHN GILMORE'S ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia in the matter of the estate of John Gilmore, and in an action, Beaven and Yates v. Ellen Gilmore, the creditors of John Gilmore, late of Nicola valley, B. C., who died in or about the month of January, 1894, are, on or before the 31st day of October, 1894, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Bodwell & Irving, of 21 Bastion street, Victoria, B. C., the solicitors of the plaintiffs, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorarily excluded from the benefits of the said order.

Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Honorable Mr. Justice Tyrwhitt Drake at his chambers in the court house, Bastion square, Victoria, on the 9th day of November, 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, that being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.

Dated the 29th day of September, 1894.

HARVEY COMBE,
Deputy Registrar.

Sept. 29-td.

NOTICE.

Mortgagee's Sale.

Of portion of Suburban Five Acre Lot Eight, bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the east side of Quadra street 85 feet distant from the northeast corner of Quadra and North Park streets, thence northerly along the east side of Quadra street 60 feet, thence at right angles easterly 90 feet, thence at right angles southerly, 60 ft. thence at right angles westerly 90 ft. to the point of commencement, together with two-story dwelling thereon known as 129 Quadra St. under power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage dated the 15th day of September, 1890 and registered in Charge Book Vol. 9, Fol. 242, No. 9,424B, at the Land Registry office in the city of Victoria. Tenders addressed to the undersigned are requested for the purchase of the above described property up to 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, the 31st day of October.

Terms Cash.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Victoria, October 1st, 1894.

J. ST. CLAIR BLACKETT,
Agent for Mortgagee.

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NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors' Trust Deeds Act and amending Acts, notice is hereby given that by indenture dated and executed on the 28th day of September, 1894, by George L. Simpson, of 94 Douglas street, in the city of Victoria, merchant, the said George L. Simpson granted and assigned his real and personal property to W. H. Bone, of 69 Government street, in the said city of Victoria, bookseller and stationer, in trust for the creditors of the said George L. Simpson. W. H. Bone executed the deed and accepted the trust thereby created on the 28th day of September, 1894. All persons indebted to the said George L. Simpson are requested to pay such indebtedness forthwith to the said trustee, and any person having any claim against the said George L. Simpson must send proof and full particulars of the same to the said trustee within one month from this date, after which the said trustee will distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to the claims so sent in. A meeting of the creditors will be held on Thursday, the 4th day of October, at 2:30 p.m., at the office of the undersigned. W. H. Bone, of Hibben & Co., Assignee, 69 Government street.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Bowness, deceased, and in the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Drake, bearing date the 5th day of October, A.D. 1894, I was appointed administrator of all and singular the personal estate, chattels and credits of Thomas Bowness, late of the city of Victoria, deceased intestate.

Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 5th day of November, A.D. 1894, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

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Land Registry Act.

Part (25x70 feet) of lot 162 Victoria City.—A certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above Hereditaments will be issued to Anna Pittock on the 19th. day of January, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or in some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C. 15th October, 1894. oct15-td

Mortgagee's Sale.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in an indenture of mortgage registered in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B. C., as No. 14,547 B in Charge Book vol. II, fol. 881, tenders will be received by the undersigned not later than noon on the 19th of November, 1894, for the purchase of sections 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of the easterly 50 acres of section 9, and the easterly 50 acres of section 10 in range 4, Cowichan District in Vancouver Island, containing in all 325 acres more or less.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Dated October 15th, 1894.

LINDLEY CREASE,
16 Chancery Lane, Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitor for the Mortgagee. oct16-1m

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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(Continued from Page 1.)

disputed victory, which gave them control over the whole territory of Corea.

Japanese army movements are carried on with great secrecy, but the embarkation of a full corps cannot be accomplished without attracting the curious attention of the public. Within the past two weeks portions of the three divisions recently placed under General Oyama's command have been transported to Corea, to the number, it is believed, of twenty thousand. The government maintains an impenetrable silence regarding the destination of these troops, but no one supposes they are needed on the peninsula, and the universal conviction is that a speedy descent upon the Chinese coast is projected. If this bold step has really been decided upon, the necessity of setting about it before the approach of winter is recognized on all sides. More exciting news than any yet reported is confidently anticipated by the mass of the people before the middle of October.

Prince Mori, formerly the daimio of Choshu, has divided thirty thousand yen equally between the army and navy funds, and distributed three thousand yen among the families of soldiers now serving who were born in his province. The capitalist Iwasaki, by far the richest subject of Japan, has presented to the war department portable barracks capable of accommodating an army of thirty thousand.

An imperial ordinance has been issued instituting a system of distinguished service pensions, in seven classes, the highest granting nine hundred yen and the lowest sixty-five yen annually for life. If any pensioner is killed in battle his family is to receive the amount allotted to him for one year.

Count Saigo, minister of the navy, has been promoted from the rank of vice-admiral to that of admiral.

Enterprising speculators have ordered from France designs for a panorama of the war, which is to be erected in one of the Tokio parks at a cost of not less than twenty thousand yen.

Popular contributions to the Japanese navy funds for supplying the sailors on active duty with comforts and medical stores had amounted on October 1st to one hundred and seventy seven thousand yen.

Great uneasiness is felt by the foreigners in China in consequence of the threatening demeanor of the populace, not only in the interior, but in the various treaty ports. A government proclamation has been issued announcing that as every nation except Japan is friendly to China, all persons molesting strangers will be severely punished. In spite of this warning an English professor and his wife were stoned and beaten by a mob in Pekin on September 15th, narrowly escaping with their lives. Appeals for naval protection are sent almost daily from each European community to the commanders of fleets stationed along the coast. It is reported that the British chief of the customs service is arranging for the removal of all ladies and children from the capital at an early date. United States Minister Denby, while passing through Japan on his way to his port, was understood to take a very grave view of the situation. He feared nothing from the Japanese in case of their advance upon Pekin, but would rather look to them for the preservation of order after their arrival. If, however, the Chinese people should discover that their approach could not be prevented by the government, he believed that the northern provinces might rise in revolt, and that a general massacre of foreigners might result. Bodies of marines are about to be sent up the Peiho and careful measures taken for the security of aliens. But the numbers of defenders must be small, and the prospect is felt to be extremely unsatisfactory.

The demonstrations of the court against Li Hung Chang have not been carried to such extremity as was threatened last month, and he has thus far suffered nothing worse than personal humiliation. The reasons for this suspension of hostility are variously reported from Pekin. The most probable explanation is that diplomatic pressure has been brought to bear upon the Tsung-li-Yamen, and the scandal of a public quarrel that would throw the government into disrepute abroad so forcibly depicted that no further step toward the viceroy's degradation need be immediately apprehended. Other authorities represent that the court is held in check by the discovery that Li is in possession of evidence which if disclosed would render certain exalted personages liable to the charge of treason. That the viceroy's influence and power have been greatly reduced no one disputes. Appointments and removals to and from high offices in his province are now made without his instigation or approval. Some of his nearest relatives have been deprived of rank and ordered into retirement. Conflicting statements as to his future actions are constantly in circulation. The rumor that he has received permission to personally coduct the operations of the army and navy, and that he is diligently preparing the plans by which he hopes to exterminate the enemy, is most generally credited; but the temper of the government and the imperial ruler is so capricious that the resolutions of one day may be completely set aside by the impulses of the next, and no announcement of their intentions with respect to Li can be trusted for twenty-four hours.

An official notification has been issued to the effect that the assassins of Mr. Wylie, the missionary, have been beheaded; but Shanghai newspapers profess to have information that the actual perpetrators, being of a class which it is not desirable at present to offend, have gone free, and that the only punishment inflicted has been upon criminals already charged with other offences. The demolished chapel near Newchwang is, however, to be rebuilt, and a sum of money paid over, which it is hoped will satisfy the family of the murdered man.

The French legation has gathered all accessible evidence in the case of Father Jozeaw, the missionary slain by Chinese troops in Corea, and laid it before the Tsung-li-Yamen, with a peremptory statement that the fullest reparation must be instantly forthcoming. The attested story of the crime makes General Yeh responsible for a series of almost incredible atrocities.

A brief official report of the capture of Phyong-Yang has been published in Tientsin. It states that the fighting began on September 7th, and continued with equal fortune on both sides until the 13th, when the Chinese won two victories. On the following day the Japanese being reinforced and the city surrounded a retreat was ordered to Anchon, at which place the main body was established on the 20th. Generals Tso and Feng were wounded. All the other generals were unharmed and their troops were in good condition.

Repeated references to the alleged interference of Admiral Freemantle with the Japanese plans at Wei-Hai-Wei, by inopportunely saluting Admiral Ito's flag, have at last called forth what appears to be an authorized explanation. A little after sunrise on August 10th, it is stated, the British ship Mercury, with Admiral Freemantle on board, but not flying an admiral's flag, passed through the Japanese squadron, sailing in three divisions towards Wei-Hai-Wei. A salute was fired by the Mercury, which was returned by the Japanese flagship. The British officers assert that the idea that a demonstration against the Chinese naval station was in progress did not occur to them until some time after the salutes were exchanged. It is admitted, however, that the occasion was not one that would call for a salute between European admirals.

Advices from Vladivostock state that a Russian fleet of fourteen ships, four of which are ironclads, is assembled at that port prepared for immediate action. Several vessels belonging to the Russian volunteer fleet has also been detained and ordered to be ready for service.

The statement is telegraphed from Tientsin that the emperor has issued an edict applying thirty million taels from the fund of household economy to the needs of the army.

Reports from southern Corea state that the native Christians of that region, of whom there are several thousand, have been thrown into great terror by the persecutions of their neighbors, which have taken a violent form since the assassination of Father Joseau. It is alleged that the converts had for some years been allowed to follow their faith in peace, owing to a popular belief that the Chinese were opposed to all religious feuds. But the example set by General Yeh and his braves has removed those scruples, and the Christians of the Cholla and Chung-Chong provinces are now regarded as outlaws, many having been murdered, while few escape brutal treatment.

Plans for railways to connect important posts in Corea are under consideration by the Japanese authorities.

The Japanese believe that the remains of General Yeh, successive reports of whose death have thus far been quickly followed by his re-appearance on some line of retreat, have at last been discovered. The evidence of identity was sufficient to justify them in burying the general's supposed body with the formalities due his rank.

RECEIVED SAILING ORDERS.

H. M. S. Champion Will Probably Go to Peru to Protect British's.

Orders were this morning received from the admiralty for H. M. S. Champion to proceed from Esquimalt to Callao. She is taking on provisions for 40 days. It is thought that she will be sent to Peru where a revolution has been brewing for some time with occasional outbreaks. In all probability the admiralty has been advised that a more serious outbreak is expected and have consequently thought it advisable to send the Champion there to protect British interests. The Champion was to have gone to Vancouver with the Pheasant's old crew. The Royal Arthur will now execute this commission. The carpenters who have been at work on the Champion have been recalled.

The Miowera.

Sydney, N. S. W., Oct. 23.—The Canadian-Australian steamship Miowera sailed from Sydney for Victoria and Vancouver on October 20th.

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LATE CABLE DISPATCHES.

Proposal to Pun'sh Those Who Took Part in the Boulangist Trouble.

London, Oct. 23.—At to-day's session of the Socialist congress at Frankfort-on-the-Main, a lively debate occurred on the suggestion that agitation was the principal thing necessary for the success of the Socialists.

Freeman's Journal announces that the Irish Party's Paris fund has been released and is now in the hands of Justin McCarthy.

A Hong Kong dispatch says that agents in that city of the British steamer Tai Yuen, have complained to the authorities that a French cruiser recently fired twice at the vessel to compel her to display her flag.

The French chamber of deputies resumed to-day the interpellation regarding the plot against the republic during the period of the Boulangist excitement. Deputy Grousset demands that the government prosecute the Boulangists engaged, in the conspiracy in favor of a monarchy, or if this was refused there should be an impartial amnesty in favor of all political offenders. Both propositions were rejected and a vote of confidence passed by 315 to 155.

The civil marriage ceremony between Miss Whittier, daughter of General Whittier of New York, and Prince Belosselsky, son of the czar's aide-de-camp, took place this afternoon in Paris. To-morrow the religious marriage will be celebrated.

JAPANESE DIET CLOSED.

Foreigners Warned to Avoid Localities Where Chinese Congregate.

Hiroshima, Oct. 23.—The special session of the Japanese diet closed yesterday. Every measure presented was unanimously passed. A memorial was adopted urging the government to execute the desire of the mikado with reference to the restoration of peace in the east, the increase of the glory of Japan, the punishment of China and prevention of the future disturbance of eastern peace. The memorial concludes with the declaration that Japan will not tolerate interference by any nation to prevent her obtaining the ultimate objects of the war which she has been waging against China.

London, Oct. 23.—A Shanghai dispatch says the Chinese fleet which recently left Port Arthur has reached Wei-Hai-Wei. The Total of Shanghai has requested foreign consuls to warn the subjects of their governments to avoid localities where large bodies of Chinese are stationed. He also requests that all Japanese residents of China, to whom he refers as "fawning pigmies," shall register at the city of Tientsin by the 20th prox. Reports have been received in Shanghai that two boats connected with the torpedo service have been blown up at Taku, and eight persons were killed and two wounded in the disaster.

A Tokio dispatch says the second son of the king of Corea has arrived at Hiroshima with presents for the mikado.

PERSONAL.

W. K. Leighton is down from Nanaimo.

Thomas E. Ladner, of Ladner's Landing, is at the Driard.

BIRTH.

SCHOLEFIELD—On the 22nd instant, at Sunnyside, Jubilee avenue, Victoria, the wife of H. E. G. H. Scholefield of a son.

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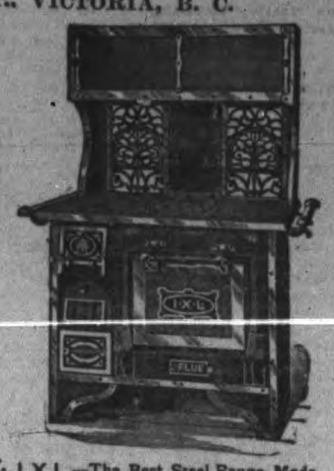

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